

# University of Pretoria Yearbook 2021

## Family law 121 (FMR 121)

**Qualification** Undergraduate

**Faculty** [Faculty of Law](#)

**Module credits** 15.00

**NQF Level** 05

**Programmes** [BA Law](#)

[LLB](#)

**Service modules** Faculty of Humanities

**Prerequisites** Admission to the relevant programme.

**Contact time** 1 tutorial per week, 4 lectures per week

**Language of tuition** Module is presented in English

**Department** Private Law

**Period of presentation** Semester 2

### Module content

\*For LLB and BA/BCom specialising in law

- Introduction to family law
- General principles regarding the coming into existence of a marriage
- Void, voidable and putative marriages
- The invariable consequences of the marriage
- Basic principles regarding the legal relationship between child and parent
- The variable consequences of a marriage
- Principles regarding the dissolution of a marriage
- The consequences of the dissolution of a marriage

Law of Parent and Child;

- Variable consequences of marriage
- Dissolution of marriage
- Consequences of the dissolution of marriage
- Customary marriages
- Domestic partnerships and religious marriages

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